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Will be held in the

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Saturday, November 30th, 1889,

AT 7:30 P.M.

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SYDNEY TO VICTORIA.

Notes of a Journey from Australia to British Columbia —The Calliope.

The Samoan Group and Its People—A Weary Week—Honolulu, Etc.

From our own Correspondent.

On Wednesday we left the beautiful harbor of Sydney on the steamship Mariposa, bound for Victoria via Auckland, Samoa, Honolulu and San Francisco, a sufficiently attractive route, as it seemed. Old travellers as we were in many other parts of the world, we had never crossed the great Pacific, and with three new spots to visit, we looked forward to a very interesting journey to the Golden Gate of the capital of the Far West. As we weighed anchor in Neutral Harbor we saw the botanical gardens and Lady Macquaries' seat to be black with people. For whom could this excitement be? Surely we were not so important as to draw crowds to view our departure with shouts and universal waving of handkerchiefs! Not exactly; and we soon discovered the recipients of the demonstrative farewells. From behind Fort Denison stole out the top and yards of a man-o'-war, and in a moment we saw

THE GOOD SHIP, H. M. S. CALLIOPE,

the heroine of the fearful tempest at Samoa last March, steaming in dignified ease from her moorings homeward bound, after five years on the Australian station. Her yards were all manned, her great war pennant streamed far out abaft, her smokestack gave forth a dense volume of inky smoke, and her crew returned the deafening cheers with which she was hailed from the shore and from craft of all sorts and sizes which accompanied her almost as far as the Heads to see the last of her, her commander and his crew, a gallant sight, indeed. We followed respectfully in her wake while all the flags on land from government house to the customs and the post office dipped in salute. Outside the Heads she bore off on a north-easterly course. We passed under her stern astarboard and soon lost sight of her as the evening came down on the sea. Four days moderate steaming took us to Auckland harbor—a pretty sight the extraordinary greenness of the hills. If one may say so, they looked too green, almost unnaturally so. But it may be that our eyes were so accustomed to the sombre blue of Australian gum wood and fresh foliage that the first glimpse of foreign greenland actually tired them. Of Auckland as a town the less said the better. It is

DULLER THAN THE DULLEST

of the dead-alive sheep-eyed country townships of inland Australia. Nobody seems to have anything whatever to do, when once you have passed from the wharfside. The streets are very badly laid. The trains dirty and ill-houred, the shops squalid, poorly stocked and high priced, and trade seems all but at a standstill. We went in to four consecutive shops, a jewellery, a furniture and a chemist, and a confectionery, to ask for change for a sovereign and we did not succeed in obtaining it. We made the best of our time in searching for the beauties of the city, for in a local paper we had found it described by a local patriot as "our beautiful city", but we are free to confess we failed to see a single beauty in it—human or architectural. And from all accounts Auckland appears to be in a very bad way. We were not sorry when after lunch on the following afternoon we were summoned on board and made a start for the Samoan group at one of which, Tutuila, we were to call to leave and take in mail matter. Our course lay through the Kermodec isles, one of which, Sunday isle, we passed at a few miles distance on the second day from Auckland, and the Tongas, where reigns His Majesty King George. At Sunday isle we gazed with some interest, for thither had just gone a week or two before us a sturdy little band of emigrants from Auckland who despairing of the prospects of the north island had gotten unto themselves spades and picks and all other agricultural whatnots and with a purchased schooner set out for Sunday

TO FOUND A COLONY OF THEMSELVES

and rival in their sequestered life the peaceful inhabitants of Norfolk island, the descendants of the mutineers of the Bounty. On Friday, the 10th, for after passing Sunday isle, we crossed the 180th parallel and in consequence enjoyed two Tuesdays in that week—we arrived at Tutuila, a very beautifully wooded and mountainous island. The southern headland is particularly beautiful, being almost separated by a very narrow inlet of the sea from the mainland, and topped by a very fantastic group of very large fan palms. Here we found an American man-of-war, the Adams, and from her we received mails and two passengers, the captain and the doctor, the former invalided the latter bound on duty to Honolulu. We received also the body of the late engineer of the Nipsic, who had recently died, and his remains were being forwarded to his home in America in charge of an undertaker who had been specially sent out to take charge of them. No sooner had our engines stopped than we were greeted by three or four bands of natives who paddled alongside with short native paddles in large boats which had been presented to them by the United States government in recognition of their services in saving the lives of seamen during the great tempest of March last, in which the German and American men-of-war suffered such terrible loss and destruction. There were quite 25 of them in each of the four boats and they made but poor work of it with their short paddles for which the boats were much too heavy. They are a

FINE ATHLETIC, HANDSOME RACE,

of a surprisingly light pinkish-copper hue, with good features, intelligent heads, bright eyes and rusty hair. Many of the women must be beautiful. They had no clothing beyond a very scanty waistcloth, but some wore beautiful chaplets and sashes made of brilliant green creepers mingled with gay scarlet blossoms. They showed immense agility in boarding the ship from which, however, they were incontinently and ignominiously ejected, or rather dejected, being summarily collared and hurled over the rail by the seamen from a height of some 25 feet. They in no way resented this unceremonious treatment, swimming to their boats and praising their wares and fruit all the way. Of these they had native spears and war clubs of several shapes, shells of familiar beauty which are really of some value. They had a very good idea of high prices, and knew by experience enough of English money not to be taken in by the offer of a sixpence for a shilling. Before we left they gave us a swimming and diving exhibition, in which they showed themselves equal to the boys at Aden and Colombo, the most expert water dogs in the world. As the screw began to revolve they all stood up in their boats alongside and pelted us with all the oranges and limes of which they had not been able to dispose, and for two minutes it rained fruit and black eyes on the quarterdeck. Then with loud laughter and cheers they all paddled off to shore. A weary week of

TRUE PACIFIC DESOLATION

then passed between Tutuila and Honolulu. Not a sail, not a sign of a hull-down steamer; lazy sea, and dead wind, the week was decidedly dull, for we had come to the end of our books and papers and were driven to tramping the deck for hours at a time, since whist and euchre had also begun to pall. However, of all things there is an end, and on the 18th we duly steamed into Honolulu at 4 p.m. Here we found men of war, English and American, as well as other craft all decked in full bunting; and the moment we anchored a deafening salute burst out. What could this mean? Again the idea of our importance crept over us, but again we were undeceived. In a few minutes His Majesty King Kalakaua arrived in his yacht from the neighboring island of Savai, whither he had been on business of state. Hence the 21 guns. The time was all too short on shore. But Honolulu is a spot never to be forgotten. The exquisite beauty of its tropical foliage, the variety, the freshness, the coloring of the flowers and grasses, the beautiful lawns of smoothly shaven turf, the strange notes of birds, the lovely green valleys running up into the wood-clad hills, the Oriental bungalow style of private residence,

EVERYTHING COMBINES TO CHARM,

especially the old traveller who has lived in the east, and longs in other climes for a breath of the spice-laden air of Ceylon and Singapore. Long would we have lingered there, flung at ease in a long deck chair on some cool verandah, happily doing nothing but exist. But the skipper is inexorable and if we want to reach San Francisco we must tear ourselves away. And so past Molakai, that grave of the hero priest, Father Damien, the nurse of the poor lepers, we speed on toward the Golden Gate. By the way we learned that more sisters of mercy applied for employment at Molakai than were needed, and the hospital settlement is quite fully staffed. We reached San Francisco out a pouring wet morning. The rain quite obscured the scenery of the harbor and after a few days spent in examining the city we joined the City of Puebla and after fifty hours coasting voyage, throughout which we enjoyed an uninterrupted view of the fine and interesting mountain ranges of Oregon and Washington, and witnessed an extraordinary and very uncanny looking mirage, we entered the pretty, pine-girdled harbor of Victoria on the finest of fine autumn evenings.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

The Day's News in one Short Column —The World's Doings.

A vein of anthracite coal two hundred feet in thickness has been struck in Pennsylvania.

On account of the scarcity of beef, horse flesh is selling for seven cents a pound in Berlin.

It is stated that the Queen has forwarded Dom Pedro an invitation to visit her at Windsor Castle.

The British Liberals are greatly pleased with Mr. Morley's speech at the Eighty Club on Tuesday night.

Ninety-one social democrats are being tried in Berlin on a charge of belonging to a revolutionary service.

Judge Day, of the Parnell commission, was knocked down by a cab yesterday and considerably injured.

The celebrated brewing firm of Guiness & Sons have donated £20,000 to erect dwellings for the poor of London.

The German government has ordered the expulsion of any foreign laborers who may have been already engaged.

The Prussian Government has flatly refused the application of the coal mine owners of Silesia to use foreign labor.

Senor Fonseca, provisional President of Brazil, cables the Central News Agency of London that Dom Pedro, the deposed emperor has positively departed from Brazil.

Hints for Winter.

When attacked by a cough or cold, hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, croup or influenza, the successful experience of thousands of families who have used it regularly for all such troubles during many years, suggests the use of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam—the old reliable household favorite. ni-2w

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

Sir Henry James Continues His Argument Before the Parnell Commission.

The Steamer Carthaginian Runs Foul of a Rock—Poverty of Parnell's Mother.

London, Nov. 21.—Sir Henry James continued his argument for the *Times* before the Parnell commission to-day. His denunciation of the Irish National League was very severe. He said that "Moonlighters" acted more as burglars than as league police, but they were never reproved by the leaders until in February, 1886, when the Parnellites were supporting the government. The leaders then refused money to certain districts because outrages therein brought discredit on the dead men of the party.

STRUCK A ROCK.

Quebec, Nov. 21.—A private message reached here to-day from one of the passengers on the steamship Carthaginian which said the steamer while on her way out ran on some rocks putting a hole in her bottom and she had to put back to Quebec.

IMMORAL LITERATURE.

Ottawa, Nov. 21.—A consignment of Zola's works, consigned to A. Hamilton, bookseller, have been seized by the customs officials and condemned under the clause in the tariff which prohibits the importation of immoral literature.

ELEVATED PROJECT.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—Ald. Prefontaine left for New York last night on behalf of the promoters of the proposed elevated railway. He is going to inspect an automatic cable car which will entail but one line of posts on the streets. The first line from St. Henri along Craig street to Masonneuve will cost about a million dollars.

MRS. PARNELL'S POVERTY.

London, Nov. 20.—Parnell's confessed ignorance of his mother's condition has created a bad impression generally, and the tories are making full use of the opinion thus created in their warfare against him. Ordinarily an explanation of the matter vouchsafed by the Irish leader would be accepted as conclusive, but in the circumstance of the lady's pressing need having become a matter of public notoriety before Mr. Parnell was aware of her condition, according to reports, it is held that a clear case of unfilial conduct and indifference is established against him. This is the tory view; but the rest of the Irish leader's friends and sympathisers are disposed to entertain a more charitable opinion and accept his statement liberally.

MORLEY ON THE IRISH QUESTION.

London, Nov. 20.—Morley, in a speech at the Eighty Club this evening, declared the social questions to which the radicals were seeking to give first place could by no possibility efface the Irish question, upon which the next election turned. Doubtless, he said, there were social injustices which demanded legislation, and there was no question that the rates ought to be reduced. The question would receive the attention to which they were entitled; but even they could not overshadow the importance or delay the settlement of the matter of home rule for Ireland. He favored a system of free education, and free meals for poor school children, reform of the pauper system, and regulation of the matter of wages.

IN BRAZIL.

London, Nov. 21.—A dispatch from Rio de Janeiro this morning states that universal suffrage has been established throughout the new republic.

CHAPLEAU'S DENIAL.

He Says He Was Not a Party to Secrecy in the Jesuit Snarl.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—Hon. Mr. Chapleau talked with a reporter yesterday over the alleged secret negotiations for the payment of the Jesuit claims and his connection with them. He denied ever having corresponded or communicated with the Jesuits on the subject. He never urged any claims in favor of the Order, and contends that he was of the opinion that the Jesuits had no claim to the property nor compensation therefore. In this he holds he is supported by Cardinal Simeoni. He merely wanted to restore the estates to the proper destination, namely, education. He took means to ascertain how the church authorities would view the question, and the court of Rome was quite willing to let the matter be arranged that way, which was in accordance with the views of Cardinal Taschereau. There was no secrecy about the matter whatever. The amount paid would have been a proper protection for Protestants. It is understood Chapleau will shortly publish his official connection with the question, and that the same will contain some very interesting documents.

GREENWAY TALKS

About Separate Schools and Manitoba's Prosperity.

Toronto, Nov. 21.—Premier Greenway of Manitoba was seen by a *Globe* reporter last evening at his hotel. Mr. Greenway upon being asked as to the position and popularity of the agitation in favor of the abolition of separate schools in Manitoba, said: "There has been a great deal of agitation throughout the province, through the press and other ways, and it was being continued and would come to a head when the house met. He believed the people were very much in favor of it."

"Will you introduce a bill to abolish separate schools when the legislature meets?"

Mr. Greenway's answer to the question was discreet silence. Mr. Greenway considers the prospects of Manitoba were never more encouraging. Crops had been very good and large shipments of wheat have already been sent to the coast. Railway building has been going on steadily. The population is increasing at a rapid rate and future greatness inspired the people of Manitoba to hard work in the present day.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

A Resume of Events in the Sporting Areas.

EDITOR TIMES:—In regard to certain statements made by W. H. Quinn, a wrestler of local fame, I would say that I am here for the purpose of making a match with the above named gentleman. Mr. Quinn's laurels in our last match were not won by any exhibition of scientific wrestling or great staying qualities, as the simple fact is this that I indulged in too much hilarity previous to the affair and was in no condition to wrestle. Mr. Quinn has issued a challenge and made a deposit with the manager of the Club theatre. In reply I wish to apprise Mr. Quinn that he will hear from me in the near future, as I never intend leaving the province until the above named gentleman has an opportunity to defeat me again, as his talk implies he is confident of doing. J. G. DONOVAN.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THIS FAIR LAND.

A People Who Revel in Perennial Sunshine and Flowers.

Again your scribe finds himself using the correspondent's pen for the paper that confessedly honors British Columbia. Times are autumnal, but not hard, while climatically speaking, there is the fullest reason for pride, and certainly our island friends are all happy and prospering. They are ever "up and doing." Mention, you have made of what Victoria or vicinity has been favored with at this late season of the year, but do not feel discomfitted if we mention the smiling features of the late autumn among us. Roses of the most delicate hues are, at present, to be found in more than one of our gardens, and our youthful do not hesitate to array their favored beauties, strawberries. Why, the wild ones are set before us, and by the roadsides are the white blossoms still seen. Other fruits, too, are found, and "who would not speak of such a land?"

Improvements are yet manifesting themselves. Mr. Geo. Furness has been considerably beautifying his residence, and we are pleased to add His to enjoy the advantages.

One of our permanent settlers is to start on the 25th instant for London, Ont., for the purpose of gently leading to his island home a particular member of the fair order. The thought may be entertained that a strong magnet would be required to accomplish such a feat, yet, we aver, the reality shall next be before us. Our worthy subject's name we withhold at present. *Bon voyage.*

Mr. J. Christian Sparrow made his many friends feel quite happy a few evenings ago. The satisfaction was so great that an early retaliation is already mooted. "Hail fellows well met" is the pass word. Oh, by the way, quite recently arrangements were made and notices given of a coming lecture on "Astronomy," but as the author took a brief excursion to Chemainus, possibly the delightful treat may have to be slightly postponed. It is not often such sublime topics are handled among us.

The gale last Sunday was one of the strongest felt for a long time back. The roads were soon covered with limbs and even trees, as not a few of the latter were overturned. While returning from the steamer several of us thought it the better part of valor to desert our conveyances and undertake pedestrianship through the fields to our homes.

At Fulford harbor the sight was immense and many were the ocular visionists, the silvery spray apparently overleaping itself in ecstatic greeting in the clouds.

Among the departures on last Sunday's steamboat, were Miss Wilson, Mr. Perkins, and Mr. Hoskins, the former two to exchange their island home for city dwellings and the latter on business. The largest number of people were on the wharf, it is said, that were ever before present at one time. Our heartiest wishes go with these young people.

In conclusion we beg to note a rather unpleasant occurrence to one of our pioneer settlers while crossing Burgoyne Bay only yesterday. Of course there was within that water conveyance a celebrity who, and to relate, was a sharer of the misfortune. It appears that the water being rather unbridled and the first getting wearied desired to rest his oars, but while so doing the canino neut *kelkaly sarkily kopa salt chuck*, and alas! turning bottom upright gave a free immersion to both. One managed to swim ashore, but the old man went straight down and right rising clutched the upturned canoe and held thereto until the tide washed him to shore. None of his clothes bore the slightest resemblance to dry ones. When afterwards wending his way homewards, sympathy was tendered, yet he affirmed he didn't care so long as he was not drowned. "All's well that ends well." C.

CANADIAN CULLINGS.

The four year old son of Andy West fell into the Red river yesterday and was drowned.

The steel steamer Rosedale with 3000 bushels of wheat from Fort William, Ont., has run ashore near Sault Ste. Marie.

A Calgary prospecting party has discovered a mile north of Cheadle station the skeletons of three Indians, a squaw and papoose.

The Vice-Regal party on their recent trip travelled some 7,000 miles and are none the worse for their journeying. All the members are in excellent health. His Excellency during his absence, has replied to 60 addresses.

Gigantic frauds on the revenue, discovered in Quebec, are the sensation of the hour. The customs officials estimate that the federal treasury was defrauded last year by whiskey smugglers, at Quebec, alone, of a sum considerably in excess of $250,000. The seizures thus far foot up 117 barrels of 50 gallons each, upon which the duty should be $2.50 per gallon.

A CORRECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR—The K. of P. wish it distinctly understood that the dance to be given this evening in Philharmonic Hall is not by any means the "Knights Ball." It is simply a social given by the band members of the K. of P., the proceeds of which are to be devoted to procuring uniforms for the band. The item in this morning's *Colonist* to the effect that "The *Knights Ball* to-night is sure to be a great success," is apt to be misleading, though unintentionally, no doubt. We make this correction out of justice to the Lodge. The Knights annual ball is given on February 19th and are such affairs as only Knights can give. However, the dance given this evening will be one of extreme sociability, with a good lunch and good music and all who attend will have no cause for complaint.

A MEMBER.

Nanaimo Board of Trade.

The regular quarterly meeting of this body was held on Tuesday evening. A committee appointed to interview Mr. Samuel Robins, reported that Mr. Robins kindly agreed to donate a suitable site to any person or company who would undertake to establish and maintain pottery works. The company had on their property several suitable locations for the successful operation of such a needed enterprise, and the promoters would be allowed to make their own selection. The board considered this a most liberal and public spirited offer, and propose to endeavor to bring about, if possible, the opening up of pottery works.

The Board decided to memorialize the Dominion postmaster-general in regard to the needed inauguration of a direct daily mail service between Nanaimo and Vancouver.

The Board intends to memorialize the Marine department for the erection of a harbor light for Nanaimo harbor to be located on either Jack's Point or on the point on Protection Island. The want of a light for this harbor (similar to the one in Victoria harbor) has been keenly felt for some time, owing to the arrival at all hours of the night of large mail steamships, requiring quick dispatch in procuring their necessary supply of coal.

THE SAME HERE.

Montreal, Nov. 20—The city attorney has been instructed to draw up a bill for submission to the Quebec Legislature at next session to compel electrical companies to place their wires under ground.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES

Henry George Comes in for a Nice Lump of the "Unearned Increment."

New State Machinery Set in Motion at Olympia—The New Senators.

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—Hon. John S. Bugbee of this city, recently appointed United States judge for Alaska, sailed on the steamer Queen of the Pacific for Sitka this morning.

SATISFACTORY.

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—The executive council of the Pacific Coast Board of Commerce, which was organized yesterday, at a meeting this morning decided to invite the Pan-American Congress to pass a national bankrupt law and recommending the Torry Bill as adopted. The resolution will be forwarded in the form of a memorial to Congress.

FROM EAST AND SOUTH.

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—Japanese advices by the steamer City of Rio Janeiro state that the new man-of-war, Jeoyama, made her trial trip on October 23rd and developed a speed exceeding nineteen knots.

A typhoon passed over Hokodadi on October 21st, sweeping away over one hundred homes, destroying one hundred and fifty boats and drowning three people.

Advices from Panama by the steamer Acapulco state that on October 20th, at a banquet to the delegate to the Central American Congress at San Salvadore, speeches were delivered showing that the idea of the Central American union savors more of a reality than of imagination.

TWO NEW SENATORS.

Olympia, Wash., Nov. 21.—The House convened with the Senate in joint session at 12 noon to day, Lieut.-Governor Laughton presiding. John B. Allen and and Watson C. Squire, the newly elected senators, were received amid great applause. The usual formula having been gone through the presiding officer Laughton declared both John B. Allen and Hon. W. C. Squire elected senators. Governor Ferry sat with the presiding officer and the senators took their seats on the floor.

WINDFALL FOR GEORGE.

New York, Nov. 21.—The Court of Errors and Appeals has rendered a decision by which Henry George obtains possession of $10,000 which was bequeathed to him two years ago by Geo. Hutchings, a farmer of New Jersey, for the dissemination of the doctrines promulgated in his books.

THE PAPAL REVENUE.

New York, Nov. 20.—The Catholic *News* has received the following cablegram, dated from Rome, Nov. 20th: "The Pope has ordered that the personal and real property of all the cardinals who die and leave no relatives is to be bequeathed to the propaganda. Those having relatives must make a generous provision in their wills for the same institution. These and all other funds devoted to the use of the propaganda will be invested in foreign countries. The last regulation is to prevent the seizure of the papal revenues by the Italian government."

NEW APPOINTMENT.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The President to-day appointed Thomas Clay McDowell of Kentucky, as collector of inland revenue for the seventh district of Kentucky, in place of Col. W. C. Goodloe, deceased. McDowell was son-in-law of the late Col. Goodloe, who was fatally wounded in the street affray with Col. Swope a few weeks ago.

INDIANS ON THE FIGHT.

Brainerd, Minn., Oct. 21.—A courier arrived to-day with news of trouble between the Chippewa Indians and squatters on Mille Lac Reserve. The white men squatted upon the best land on the reservation and the Indians have threatened to massacre them unless they leave at once.

HIS NECK SAVED.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 21.—The sentence of Charles Giblen, who was to have been hanged for murder to-day, has been commuted to imprisonment for life by Governor Hill. Giblin was to have suffered the death penalty with the four other murderers who were executed recently, but was respited until to-day.

OUTSTRIPS THE WIND.

Success of the Union Pacific Fast Train Experiment.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—The first limited fast mail on the Union Pacific reached here on time. Notwithstanding the extraordinary fast schedule time from Council Bluffs to Ogden the run was made without any difficulty. The fact that this fast time can be made is now no longer a matter of doubt, and that it will prove a new era in railroading is the opinion of the best railroad authorities in the country. Thirteen tons of mail were placed on board the limited at Omaha, and notwithstanding the enormous quantity of mail matter, it was thoroughly worked up and ready for its several distributions before Green River was reached, the junction where the Oregon fast mail separates from the California fast mail.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

J. C. Calbreath arrived on the Elder last night from Cassiar.

S. Leiser returned last night from a business trip up the C. P. R.

Mr. Chris. Spencer, of the Arcade, will shortly leave for England on business.

Dr. Hanington and Mrs. Hanington reached home last night from their eastern trip.

W. A. Sanders, superintendent of the Gold Mining Co., Alaska, came down on the Elder en route east.

Eustace A. Jenns, barrister, New Westminster, was a passenger by the Islander last night, to attend the legal banquet.

A. A. Green, Mrs. Green and Miss Green returned by the Olympian yesterday after an extended eastern and European trip.

R. J. Dowlen arrived from Alaska by the Elder last night. Mr. Dowlen has been looking at the Bear's Nest mine from an expert point of view.

P. M. Arthur, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, says that within a year the boon of Sunday rest has been gained by 75,000 American railroad men who did not previously enjoy it. This is a very large percentage of the total number of railway employees, which is estimated by Poor's celebrated manual at 900,000 and by *The Railway Age* at 800,000. The *Age* thinks that the Rev. W. F. Craft's estimate of 375,000 railway employees working on Sunday is much too high. There is, however, plenty of room for this excellent movement to grow.

Irritable People.

People are often irritable by reason of some exasperating skin disease which destroys comfort and good humor. Salt rheum, nettle rash, erysipelas, pimples, scald head, etc., are of this nature, they arise from bad blood, and can be cured by using Burdock Blood Bitters according to directions. 61-2w

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EVERY MAN HIS OWN LIGHT MAKER.

According to the New York World the electric wire system, which is the curse of cities, with the further advantage that every man can be his own light maker, is about to be solved. Prof. P. R. F. D'HENRY has invented a self generating electric power which will do away with the illuminating of buildings from outside stations. The apparatus is no larger than an upright piano, it can be handled with perfect safety by a servant, and it has a capacity which will supply twenty lamps of sixteen candle power each. The cost per lamp, it is claimed, is less than the cost of a gas light. The generator works day and night, the current being preserved for use in a storage battery. There is no danger of leakage or accident. The current, so Prof. D'HENRY claims, is produced by the slow decomposition of a chemical solution in contact with indestructible plates made of a metallic alloy, which are to be had in this country at a nominal cost. "The electro motive force of the machine," to give a technical explanation, is one volt in eighty, and its energy is from five to thirty-five amperes, according to the strength of the solution. If this invention should prove to be a success, and there seems to be no question but that it will, the problem of what to do with overhead wires need no longer disturb city authorities. Besides, as no machinery is required to produce the electric current, an element of cost is not only overcome but an element certainty introduced which will do away with the necessity of gas as an auxiliary illuminating feature. The drawback to the present electric lighting system is the danger of the generating machinery breaking down. But with a machine in the house no larger than an upright piano, self-generating, and so simple in its operation that a domestic can handle it, all sense of insecurity is removed, and the gas companies, if they would continue to remain in business, will be compelled to adjust their meters to tell a story so plain that the most captious consumer will pay his bill without grumbling.

THE CONDITION OF WORKING WOMEN.

The fourth report of the U.S. Commissioner of Labor deals exclusively with the life and labor of working women in large cities, and remarks the London Times "is a most seasonable volume coming as it does just as the attention of the public owing to the great strike has been fixed on the question of women's labor in England."

The facts recorded in the American report are the result of questions put to 17,427 women belonging to 343 industries in '22 of the largest cities in the Union. As to the different living conditions of working women in the different cities as revealed by the report we find that Baltimore life is agreeable. The houses are good; they are not crowded into tenements; and the saleswomen are superior to any other in America but the working women have no such prominence. In Boston and New York the girls are packed into ill kept lodging houses, while Brooklyn is almost as crowded and as squalid as New York. Buffalo is the paradise of good houses, and of easy lives, with the work done at home for small pay it is true, but this hardly matters, as the girls are supported by their prosperous parents. The majority of female wage-earners throughout the United States are unmarried. As against 745 married women and 1038 widows, there are 15,387 unmarried girls; and another curious fact afforded by the report is that, notwithstanding the facilities for divorce, only a very small fraction of working women are either separated or divorced from their husbands.

Coming down to the economical, domestic and moral aspect of the question, women's labor, under the first head, wages are high when labor is scarce and in demand, and where the women live by their labor, as in Chicago, and low where there is much of it, as in Buffalo and Cleveland. From the domestic point of view the happiest life is led where the girls live at home, as is the case in the two last named cities. The moral aspect of the question includes far more than is commonly understood by these terms. For example, one would have to take account of the effect of high wages on a girl's disposition, as in Atlanta and Chicago, in both of which places they seem to breed a flightiness, an absence of what in men is commonly called honor, that is by no means admirable. The girls of these cities, and others, seem to want the moral ballast that would enable them to stand sudden prosperity. At Atlanta, for example, "great complaint is heard of the incompetence and shiftlessness of the girls, of their inability to learn to do fine work, of their unreliability and absenteism." As to morality in its more limited sense, it may be generally said that the working women of the United States are above the standard of most European countries. They vary according to the localities; they are better, for example, in Cleveland than in Cincinnati; but, as a rule, it is not from them that the ranks of prostitution are recruited. Some interesting tables are given to illustrate this point. Out of 3,866 women living this life, of whom inquiry was made, it was found that the vast majority were not, and never had been, workers in shops or factories. No fewer than 1155 had started from house and hotel work; 505 had been dressmakers; the sadly large number of 1236 had come straight from their homes; and it may interest some to learn that only 52 had been "actresses, ballet-girls, circus performers, singers, &c."

On the whole, with the exception of Boston, New York and Brooklyn the condition of the working girl throughout the United States is better than is supposed, and with the steps which are being taken by persons interested in her welfare the time is not far distant when she will be as comfortably placed as is compatible with those who have the misfortune to be thrown wholly on their own efforts for a livelihood.

ZOLA AND HIS WORKS.

Mr. ZOLA has been nominated for membership of the French Academy, and it is said that in the event of his being elected, the Bishop of Autun will resign, a contingency almost sure to take place, inasmuch as the novelist has been promised a score of votes. Within the last year the works of ZOLA have been the subject of controversy as to their moral character, and, as is usual in such cases, a wide divergence of opinion was manifested. It was a case of doctors disagreeing, and so as in the case of many works now classic, posterity will sit in judgment on M. ZOLA and award him his proper place as a moralist. There is little doubt, however, but that ZOLA's leading works are nasty. He pleads in extenuation that he has attempted to make vice dreadful by painting it in its true colors; but then, on the other hand, it is claimed that the inculcation of moral lessons do not require to deal in dirt. There is this much to be said, however, of ZOLA's works, they are not the literature of the millions. Only the cultivated mind can appreciate them. Young people and the average reader of mature years find little satisfaction in poring over ZOLA's subtile blackguardisms. Those who are sufficiently cultured to appreciate ZOLA are not likely to be contaminated. They read only for the literary effect. On the other hand, the person who takes up ZOLA from a prurient motive will be disappointed. Without the culture to appreciate his literary excellencies, and deficient of the acumen to grasp the subtilities of the argument, the book is laid down in disgust, and the question is asked, what are preachers and moralists generally "kicking about?" If the Decameron may be read, it is useless to taboo ZOLA. Those who protest against ZOLA had as well protest against "Don Juan," "Venus and Adonis," and some few Shakespearean sonnets.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

When the Governor-General arrived in Vancouver the people led him under an arch with the words emblazoned on it, "Happy people, without a grievance." The next day after he left, they forwarded a petition, with 1800 signatures, to Ottawa, making a terrible growl because the Dominion government would not commence the erection of the much-needed postoffice and build it somewhere within three miles of the business portion of the city.

The MOWAT candidate has won a bigger victory in Lambton than was at first supposed, as he has a fair majority over the two candidates of the opposing parties, that is the candidates of the third and conservative parties. Late returns have increased Mr. MCKENZIE's majority to 651 and as several outlying polling districts are still to be heard from, the majority will probably go up to 700. The third party candidate polled a little over 600 in all. We do not believe that there is a constituency in Ontario that would return an Equal Rights candidate pure and simple. The Equal Righters have shown bad management in assuming a position hostile to the Ontario government, which had nothing to do with the Jesuit question.

"Bad spelling," says Benjamin Franklin in one of his letters, "is generally the best, as conforming to the sound of the letters and of the words." To give you an instance: "A gentleman received a letter in which were these words, "Not finding Brown at hom, I delivered my meseg to his yf." The gentleman, finding the writing bad and therefore not very intelligible, called his wife to help him read it. They picked out the meaning of all but the yf, which they could not understand. The lady proposed to call her chambermaid because 'Betty,' says she, 'has the best knack at reading bad spelling of anyone I know.' Betty came, and was surprised that neither sir nor madam could tell what yf was. 'Why,' says she, 'y—f spells wife; what else can it spell?' And, indeed, it is a much better as well as a shorter method of spelling wife."

With regard to that trite saying, "Heaven helps them who help themselves," we have a remarkable illustration of it in the progress of Vancouver. For proof of this we refer the curious reader to the report of the Y. M. C. A. on the workings of that association in the Northwest. In this veracious chronicle Victoria is described as having a population of 14,000, while that of Vancouver is put at 15,000. If these figures be correct, we have, as we said at the outset, an instance of Heaven helping them who help themselves with a vengeance, the authenticity of which is vouched for by an organization which makes truth telling a specialty. Regardless, however, of the reliable source from which these figures emanate we shall venture to take issue from them. We are firm believers in Heaven helping, etc., but before we can concede 15,000 population to Vancouver and only 14,000 to Victoria, it will be necessary for the Y. M. C. A. to verify their statistics. Failing to do this in irreverent public will infer that the association has been unduly influenced by Vancouver real estate men, or that the association itself is heavily interested in the development of the terminal city.

CITY COUNCIL.

The Board of Aldermen Held Their Weekly Meeting.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of aldermen was held at the city hall last evening. Present: His Worship Mayor Grant in the chair, Aldermen Coughlan, McKillican, Goodacre, Harrison, Kelly, Wilson and Vigelius. Routine business having been attended to, the clerk read the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From H. E. Moffatt enclosing circulars relating to the World's Fair of 1892, and asking that the influence of the council be directed to having the fair held at Chicago. Acknowledged and laid on the table.

From R. Porter & SONS calling attention to bad state of crossing of Johnson street at confluence of Douglas. Referred to street committee for report.

From Jas. L. Raymur, city auditor, calling attention to the sinking funds of several old loans. Referred to the finance committee to report.

From Jas. L. Raymur, enclosing financial statement for the year. Received and filed, to be referred on to finance committee.

From H. Kent asking Yates street to be put in order. Referred to street committee.

From J. W. McConnell asking that a box drain be extended on Michigan street. Referred to street committee.

From B. H. West complaining of the imposition of a trade license upon mechanics who work at a business; also calling attention to the fact that the lowering of the sidewalk had spoilt his premises for business. Referred to finance committee.

From the linemen and telephone operators in reference to the protection of the tramway wires. Laid on the table.

From Willis Bond relative to contract work on Scorsby street.

Ald. Vigelius explained that Mr. Bond had left his contract uncompleted, and the street committee had been obliged to do the work.

On motion the matter was referred to the street committee and city surveyor.

From Louis Roller in reference to bad drainage near the Club theatre. Referred to street committee with power to act.

From R. B. McMicking, secretary of St. Andrew's building committee, stating that the building was now complete, and asking that new sidewalks be laid. Referred to street committee with power to act.

From the city clerk of Vancouver enclosing memorial of that council in reference to the introduction of a measure into the statutes to amend the present income tax law. Received and laid on the table for one week.

Ald. Vigelius strongly approved of the action of the Vancouver board of aldermen, as it was not fair for people to be twice taxed. His remarks were also echoed by Mayor Grant.

From E. Gray Hulton, captain of the Amphion, thanking the council for the use of the Tiger engine, and offering payment. Referred to the fire wardens and chief engineer, no charge to be made whatever.

TENDERS.

Tenders for the grading and gravelling of Belcher street were opened. The tender of J. Baker was accepted, $747 being the price.

For gravelling View street. J. Baker was awarded this work at $1570.

The tenders for making of water tanks were opened, and a lengthy discussion followed on the advisability of laying the matter over until the question of finance be settled, and on motion it was so laid over for one week.

STEEL MAIN.

A tender for this work was opened from the Albion Iron Works, that company to supply all pipe, castings and gates for a sum less than $25,000.

On motion the matter was referred to the water committee and commissioners for report of whole cost of the proposed work.

REPORTS.

The street committee recommended that a box drain be laid on Menzies, Carr and Niagara streets; that if property owners on Chatham street will give a strip of land to make the street 40 feet wide, they recommend grading the same; that a sidewalk on Bay street be repaired; that new walks be laid on Bay and David street, that Douglas street be repaired where it is needed; that work on Johnson street be laid over for one week until the gas and tramway companies had completed their work there.

The reading of this report was followed by an exchange of recriminations between Alds. Harrison and Coughlan. The question was settled by adopting the report.

HARRISON STREET.

A report on the condition of Harrison street was asked for and the street committee were authorized to have plans prepared to put it in order.

ELECTRIC WIRES.

The electric light committee reported on the petition of the linemen and others, and advised that the live wire of the tramway be protected. The report was adopted.

His Worship stated that the tramway company had already arranged for the proper protection of their wires.

MONTREAL HERALD.

His Worship informed the board that 1000 copies of the Montreal *Herald* were to hand, and suggested that the public be allowed to get copies free on application at the city hall.

The board agreed to have the copies so distributed.

OTHER MATTERS.

The Mayor drew attention to the fact that the enlargement of the cemetery should be taken up; that water pipes should be laid in a bed of clay; that the paper mill bonus should be attended to and that a very dangerous building on Wharf street should be pulled down at once.

On motion the city surveyor was instructed to see to the old building, the owners to be notified to remove it at once.

The meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

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WANTED.—A lad of 17 wishes a situation. Address C. H., TIMES office. nov11tf

WANTED.—A good strong boy who knows the city, is wanted. Apply to Adams & Gordon, grocers, Government street. nov8tf

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework, in a small family. Apply to Mrs. Urquhart, 119 Menzies street. oct26-tf

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ADDITION TO THE CITY HALL.

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Each tender must be accompanied by a cheque for 5 per cent of the amount thereof.

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By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall. nov15

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's office until Wednesday, the 20th Nov. instant, at 4 p.m., for the undermentioned work, viz.:

1. Construction of two brick reservoirs for fire purposes—
(a) On Store street near Johnson street, and
(b) On Government street near Johnson street.
2. Gravelling Belcher street from Cook street to Moss street.
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City Hall, November 11th, 1889. nov1

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To Tradesmen and Others:

From and after this date I will not accept any orders from workmen or contractors employed by the Corporation.

CHARLES KENT,
Treasurer.

Victoria, Oct. 8th. 1889. oct8

MUNICIPAL.

TENDERS ARE INVITED UP TO THE 30TH inst., at 4 p.m., for the construction and laying of a steel main of 24 inches diameter, about 6,000 feet in length, from the dam of the Victoria Water Works in the direction of the city, said tenders to be delivered at the office of the undersigned.

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City Hall, Nov. 5th, 1889. nov5-td

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Paul Blouet (Max O'Rell) is a remarkably clever Frenchman, who has devoted his talents mostly to satirizing the Anglo-Saxon race. The book from which the following extracts are made is his latest production, and material for it was gathered during his recent visit to America.

I—POPULATION OF AMERICA.

Where Is the Center of America?—A Land of Conjuring—A Letter from Jonathan.

The population of America is sixty millions—mostly colonels. If the earth is small, America is large, and the Americans are immense!

Yes, sixty millions!—all alive and kicking!

An Englishman was one day boasting to a Frenchman of the immensity of the British empire.

"Yes, sir," he exclaimed to finish up with, "the sun never sets on the English possessions."

"I am not surprised at that," retorted the good Frenchman, "the sun is obliged to keep an eye on the rascals."

However, the sun can now travel from New York to San Francisco, and light, on his passage, a free nation which, in 1776, begged England to mind her own affairs for the future.

From east to west, America stretches over a breadth of more than three thousand miles. Here it is well to put some readers on their guard, in case an American should one day put to them one of his favorite questions: "Where is the center of America?" I myself imagined that, starting from New York and pushing westward, one would reach the extremity of America on arriving at San Francisco. Not so. Jonathan knows you are going to answer wrongly, and if you want to please, you must let yourself be caught in this little trap. At San Francisco you are not quite half way, and the center of America is really in the Pacific ocean. Jonathan more than doubled the width of his continent in 1867, when he purchased Alaska of the Russians.

Today population, progress, civilization, everything advances with giant's stride. A town with 20,000 inhabitants was perhaps but a year or two ago, a patch of marsh or forest. Today Paris fashions are followed there as closely as in New York or London.

Jonathan passes his life in admiration of all that is American. He cannot get over it. I have been through part of the country and I cannot get over it either. It is pure conjuring—but let us not anticipate. Give me time to recover my breath and set my ideas in order. These Americans are reeking with unheard-of-ness. My ideas are all jostling in my poor old European brain. There is no longer anything impossible. Everything is prodigious, and I no longer wonder be told? It came from Mr. Chauncey Depew, it is said. But, for that matter, a good story is always put down to Mr. Depew, Mark Twain, or the late Artemus Ward.

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III—CHARACTERISTIC TRAITS.

Hymns and Profanity—Childish Questionings—Several Stories.

A nation, scarcely more than a hundred years old, and composed of many widely different elements, cannot, in the nature of things, possess very marked characteristic traits.

There are Americans in plenty, but the American does not yet exist.

The inhabitant of the northeast states, the Yankee, differs as much from the western man and the southerner as the Englishman differs from the German or the Spaniard.

For example, call a Yankee "a cad," and he will get out of the room, remarking: "You say so, sir, but that proves nothing." Call a Pennsylvania man "a cad," and he will knock you down. Call a real westerner "a cad," and he will shoot you dead.

On leaving a New York theatre one night, an American friend jumped into a Broadway car. There were quite sixty persons packed upon the vehicle. A gentleman signed to the conductor to stop, and tried to make his way through the crowd. By using his elbows as propellers, he reached the door, when a man, indignant at having been pushed (there are people who for their "nickel" expect to travel as comfortably as in a barouche), cried:

"You are a cad, sir, a howling cad." The gentleman jumped off the car.

"You are a cad, I say," bellowed the individual after him, "a cad, do you hear?"

The gentleman turned, lifted his hat, and replied: "Yes, I hear; and you, sir, are a perfect gentleman."

The perfect gentleman looked very silly for a few moments. A hundred yards further on, he stopped the car and made off.

Should a minister indulge in unorthodox theories in the pulpit, the eastern man will content himself with going to another church to perform his devotions the Sunday after. The Pennsylvanian will open a violent polemic in the newspapers. The Kansas man will wait for the minister at the church door and give him a sound thrashing.

(NOTE.—I read in a large eastern paper under the head of "Kansas News:" "A clergyman in Kansas has just had his nose bitten off by a member of his flock, who took exception to some of his remarks in the pulpit.")

Is there anything more sublime than the way in which Jonathan can combine the sacred and profane? He is a greater adept at it than John Bull, and that is saying not a little.

On board the steamer we had five Americans who passed the eight days of the voyage in playing poker. The smoking room rang from morning to night with oaths. Their stock seemed inexhaustible. On Sunday, after breakfast, a young lady sat down to the piano, and began playing hymns. What happened then? Our five poker players gathered round the lady and, for two hours, sang psalms and holy hymns.

I was dumfounded. In France we have men who swear, and men who sing hymns. The Anglo-Saxon race alone can furnish men who do both with equal gusto.

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IMPERIAL FEDERATION FAD.

Meeting of Hyin Muck-a-Mucks in England to Discuss the Question.

London, Nov. 19.—There was a large and influential attendance at the annual meeting of the Imperial Federation League yesterday. The proceedings were notable because a new departure was announced, the league having resolved to constantly urge on the government the necessity of holding at regular intervals Imperial conferences to consider matters of common concern, ripe for discussion. This is the outcome of Sir Charles Tupper's recent suggestion, but it is noteworthy that the league will urge the conferences without pointing towards a Zollverein as the result. On the contrary, Lord Roseberry to-day strongly condemned the utter folly of an attempt to undermine free trade principles. Sir Charles Tupper was present, but did not speak. Parkin, of New Brunswick, produced a favorable impression.

JOGGINS OUTJOGGED.

Leary Will Launch a Raft That Will Dwarf the Lost Wonder.

New York, Nov. 19.—Commander Jas. Dreadnaught Leary, the raft builder, is going to paralyze the old lumbering and sea-faring lumber carriers next spring with a raft bigger than the famous Joggins craft. He arrived in St. John, N.B., Saturday and went on into the woods to boss the job of getting out stuff for his new raft. His first raft went adrift and broke up at the mouth of Vineyard sound five years ago and was a total loss. Commander Leary promptly built another 650 foot raft of logs, and had it towed to New York. The raft, for which he has now taken 75 woodchoppers and 50 teams into the woods, will contain 60,000 logs, and will be 750 feet long and 45 wide and 25½ feet deep. It will carry six masts fore and aft rigged, and will have a crew of 1,000,000 feet of hard wood. It will be equipped with steam steering gear, and steam capstans will yank its anchor cables. It will start for New York in May.

Philosopher and Showman.

Thus does Phineas T. Barnum, the "great showman," philosophize: "If you would be happy as a child, please one. Childish laughter is the echo of heavenly music. The noblest art is that of making others happy. Amusement to children is like rain to flowers. Whole-some recreation conquers evil thoughts. The author of harmless mirth is a public benefactor. Innocent amusement transforms tears into rainbows."

Winter on the Mainland.

The following dispatch from Regina would suggest that it is winter over beyond the mountains, "on the mainland," as the *Columbian* calls it: Willie Burton and Mrs. A. G. Burton, while skating on the reservoir the other evening, suddenly descended into an air-hole where water to the depth of twelve feet prevailed. The lady was rescued without further injury than a cooling duck, but Burton was unconscious when drawn up. However, he is now all right.

The Electric Current.

A man-of-war of the present day may be anything but a thing of beauty, but it has its countervailing advantage in being naturally protected from lightning strokes. Far different was it in olden days. In fifty years over 200 ships of the British navy were struck by lightning, while from 1810 to 1815 some forty-eight vessels were more or less damaged. In one squadron of thirteen ships, blockading or cruising off the French Mediterranean coast, five were struck during one night, with a heavy loss to their crew. Many casualties occurred in the navy through the explosion of powder magazines. Apart from the modern vessels being protected by their construction, or by special provisions for the purpose, it would seem that lightning does not play as destructive a part as it did forty or fifty years ago, as even those ships unprovided with conductors have suffered less damage than a smaller number of ships experienced formerly.—*Naval and Military Record.*

Their History.

The new steamers to be run by a 'Frisco man in opposition to the P.C.S.S. are the Haytien Republic, the Wilmington and the Signal.

The two former vessels have historic records. The Wilmington did valuable service in the late war as a blockade runner on the Atlantic seaboard and the Gulf of Mexico. For a time during her service in the war, her owners received a compensation of $8000 per day for her service. She is of iron and very staunchly built.

The Haytien Republic will be remembered as the vessel which cut such a figure in the late strife between rival factions of the island of Hayti for political supremacy. She was used as a gunboat by the forces of Gen. Legitime, and the crew seized several American merchantmen, over which complicated international questions arose which have but recently been settled. She is speedy and living been thoroughly refitted for the Sound trade, will be quite a favorite.

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AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 2972 Policies were issued)	$7,882,205.07
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888	$281,964.93
CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions	$2,867,332.40
AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years	$31,313,145.00
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1888 (of which $6,882,060.00 is Re-assured with other offices)	$101,958,140.14
ACCUMULATED FUNDS	$24,019,823.27
ANNUAL REVENUE	$4,525,703.13

W. M. RAMSAY, Manager. THOMAS KERR, Inspector.

ROBERT WARD & CO., AGENTS.

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 240 acres of land in Kootenay District, situated on the north bank of the west arm of Kootenay Lake District as follows: Commencing at a point on the eastern boundary of Lot 98 s, Group 1 (R. Anderson's purchase), and running south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement. JAMES F. FELL.

nov19 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for timbering purposes, of the following described tracts of land, situate in Salmon River Valley, Sayward district:—

Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the northeast corner of Messrs. Haslam and Lee's timber claim (Lot 46); thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing 20 chains east of the northeast corner of the land recently surveyed for the Victoria Lumber Co. east of Hasham and Lee's leased land; thence south 400 chains; more or less, to the Royal City Planing Mills Co.'s land; thence east 480 chains; thence north 480 chains; thence west 480 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 20 chains, to the point of commencement; containing 22,999 acres.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFG CO.,

Victoria, 14th November, 1889. For R. KING. nov16

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve hundred and eighty (1280) acres of land situated in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows: Commencing at the south-west corner of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim; thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

S. W. BUCKNAM
PATRICK HICKEY.

Victoria, Oct. 17th, 1889. oct18

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land in the Coast District viz.: Commencing at a stake planted on the west side of Waddington Harbour at the head o flute Inlet thence S. W. 20 chains; thence N.W. 80 chains; thence S. E. 20 chains, or to the coast line; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

C. G. HOBSON.

Vancouver 10 th. Oct. 1889. Oct. 14-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situate on Cortes Island, Sayward district, B. C., described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a bay about three-fourths of a mile east of Plumper Pass; thence running east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains, thence south to the shore line of the bay, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

sep19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land, situate at Duncan Bay, Sayward district, described as follows:—

Tract No 1.—Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 25; thence west 50 chains; thence south 75 chains; thence east 50 chains; thence north 75 chains to the place of commencement, containing 450 acres.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 28; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

JAS KING,
M. KING.

sep11

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the islands lying adjacent to St. John's Point, Hornby Island, and all the islands lying to the southeast of Hornby Island.

DAVID HOGGAN.

Victoria, September 23rd, 1889. sep23-2m

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. G. WATERSON,

Job Printer,

Over R. Jamieson's Bookstore.

Government street.

my17 6m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND AT the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to apply for a license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors, by retail, in the premises known as the Delmonico Restaurant, 109 Government street.

E. ESCALET.

nov8-tf

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e15-1m Proprietor.

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. Lemmens, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains southeast of the most easterly house in "Quatsino" Indian village, Quatsino Sound, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less. sep10-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shushartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of section 5 (Robt. Hunt's purchase claim); thence south 60 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 100 chains; thence east to H. W. M., Shushartie Bay; thence southerly, following the shore line to R. Hunt's boundary; thence following said boundary to the point of commencement.

J. D. HELMCKEN.

Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep18-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Gilkalla River (near White, Gilkie); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 20th, 1889.

W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.

sep25-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows: Commencing at a point 80 chains east of the southeast corner post of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 40 chains, to the point of commencement. JOSEPH GOSNELL,

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 1, 1889. nov5-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 20,000 acres, more or less, of land situate on the west coast of Vancouver Island, commencing at a point on the coast 40 30 min. north, thence east 500 chains, thence south 500 chains, thence westerly along the shore line to the point of commencement.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 2nd, 1889. 2m.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, on which due notice has been posted, and described as follows: Commencing at the southeastern corner post of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, and thence east 80 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES SHIELDS.
ROBERT JENANT.
W. A. ROBERTSON.
JOHN GRANT.

oct15

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 15 miles west of Discovery Passage, thence west 5 miles; thence north 3½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ker & McLaren's timber lease; thence south ¼ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 3 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.

COL. SCOTT,
W. LADD,
J. KING,
H. KING.

sep10-3m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway from a trail on the west side of Okanagan Lake to the lake north of Trout Creek, commencing at a trail about 150 yards north of Gartrell's R. W. post running east through a natural pass for cattle to lake to the flat; thence north to the line between Gartrell's and my own land; thence west along said line to lake.

THOS. ELLIS.

Victoria, October 5th, 1889. oct5-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend making application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land in Coast District, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake about two miles above the North Pacific Canning Company's cannery, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

A. OLSEN.

Skeena River, October 14, 1889. nov14w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT SIXTY days after date I intend applying to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated in Coast District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake marked "A" on the north side of the Inverness Slough, about three miles more or less east of the North Pacific Canning Company's cannery, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

F. A. CARTHEW.

Skeena River, October 18, 1889. nov14w

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ALEXANDER TOD, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS OR demands against the Estate of Alexander Tod, late of Victoria District, deceased, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands, duly authenticated, to the Solicitor for the Executrix of the will of the deceased, on or before the 1st day of December next.

Dated October 29th, 1889.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,

oct29-1m Langley St., Victoria.

KOM WO TAI.

Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Chap. 115, entitled the "Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schong, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1889.

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pleasant streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

E. H. ENGLEY, Secretary.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Pleasant streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

jy29 A. H. EBERLINE, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 139, G. R. C. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.

jel 1y W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

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B. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct2

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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and the Province Briefly Told.

—Read Lonsdowne House ad.

—K. of P. ball at Philharmonic hall to-night.

—The hills of Sooke were snow-tipped this morning.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

—The St. Andrew's Presbyterian church fair will be continued to-night.

—Nothing in the police court to-day but two or three inconsequential drunks.

Four hundred water pipes will go up to Vancouver on the Islander in a day or so.

—Nearly five hundred dollars were taken in at the St. Andrew's bazaar last night.

—The planting of the shade trees donated by Mr. Heywood has been commenced.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's.

—A gang of corporation laborers were busy cleaning the street crossings this forenoon.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Are you saved? If not go to Campbell & Simpkins where you can save money on your clothes.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's.

—Shupe's patent stove pipes. Same price as common pipes at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

—An accident has occurred to the Vancouver water main under the Inlet 200 feet from the northern shore.

—The spectacular drama of "Around the World in 80 Days," will be on the boards at the Victoria to-night.

—The new brick block next to the Pritchard House will be occupied at least a part of it, by Messrs. Gregg & Son, artist tailors.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 161.

—A deputation of Fraser river canners have gone to Ottawa to interview the government on matters connected with the industry.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—The cohoe salmon run has started again in the Fraser, boats getting as high as 125 fish the other night. This is probably the last run for the season.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, road rockers, upholstery goods and house-furnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—The semi-annual statement of the Bank of Montreal shows that after the payment of a five per cent. dividend on the first of December there will be over $700,000 to carry forward.

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—The choir of the First Presbyterian church surprised Mr. J. G. Brown at his residence, Work Estate, last evening, pulled up the carpets and performed other ceremonies which go to make life pleasant and housekeeping miserable.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Scafe, of Highland district, who died on Tuesday night, took place to-day to Ross Bay cemetery. Rev. D. McRae conducted the funeral services. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Donald McKenzie of Parson's bridge.

—Received this day at the Albion House new ulsters and jackets, knitted wool goods, plain and fancy dress materials, winter gloves, hosiery, etc. A full line of blankets, quilts, flannels and staples of every description always on hand.—Brown & White.

—The Vancouver *News-Advertiser* contains an account of the marriage of James Bishop Parfitt, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Moon, on Tuesday. Mr. Parfitt met his betrothed at the Terminal City railway depot, on her way from England, and had the knot tied there and then without further ado about it.

—Port Townsend *Call*: This morning two Chinamen were found "stowed away" in the cook's room on the steamer Olympian, shortly after she left Victoria. They were discovered by Inspector W. F. Learned. Upon the arrival of the Olympian at this port they were taken ashore and placed in charge of the authorities, and will be returned to Victoria.

Open Again This Evening.

The St. Andrew's bazaar, which was attended with great success last evening, will be continued again this evening. No admittance will be charged at the door. Music and refreshments will be provided during the evening.

Assault and Robbery.

A Chinese case was tried slowly under the Speedy Trials Act this afternoon, as all Chinese cases are. It was the case of Ah Luey, charged with assault and robbery, committed on a crony of Luey's from the Flowery Kingdom. The Chief Justice heard the case.

He is All Right.

Capt. Douglas, who left Saanich a short time ago for the mainland with a scow load of brick, and for whose safety some apprehension was felt, has turned up all right at Boundary Bay. The captain is one of those fellows about whose safety no alarm need ever be felt.

Two Steamers Overdue.

The Yosemite, from the Fraser, loaded with 10,000 cases of salmon for the Norcross and Dochra, has been overdue for some time, but is reported to be all right on the Fraser river.

The Michigan, from Portland, has been overdue for several days, but it is thought she has been bar bound at the mouth of the Columbia river.

Victoria Evidently Getting There.

Yesterday one five-gallon and three-gallon casks of liquor were taken into custody by the customs official here for irregularity in shipment. The liquor was in bond, consigned to Philadelphia from Victoria, and as the law says liquor shall not be bonded in smaller casks than fifteen gallons, the goods were held awaiting orders from the department at Washington.—*Port Townsend Leader.*

Granite Discovery.

The Nelson Island Granite Quarry has been working since the commencement to the entire satisfaction of the company and they have already sent one consignment of this excellent stone to Seattle, which will be used for building purposes there and which is giving the utmost satisfaction. It is spoken of very highly, and as being a superior class of granite to any met with on the Pacific coast. The company expect to have a great demand for this granite before the spring. At present the company have twenty men employed on the quarry who are under the superintendence of Mr. Wm. Atkinson. They have a large quantity of the rock at present awaiting the arrival of a steamer from Seattle which is chartered to take another cargo there.—*Free Press.*

Three Storey Brick.

Work has been commenced on the foundation of the three-storey brick at the corner of Government and Pandora street for O. E. Mallette. Men are at work excavating for the basement and the brick is already on the ground.

A Fine Nugget.

Mr. W. F. Anderson, who has recently arrived from Cariboo, brought down with him a fine looking nugget weighing fifteen ounces, which was taken out of the Anderson & Smith claim on Snowshoe creek, Cariboo. It is valued at $250 and is the largest seen in these parts for a long time.

Laid out by Gas.

A workman named Pete Nelson, engaged in repairing the gas pipes along Wharf street, was laid out this afternoon. He was working over a hole in the pipe when a connection was made nearer the works and the gas came through completely choking him. The injury was only temporary.

Coming North.

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—The Queen of the Pacific sailed to-day for Victoria in place of the Umatilla which is to undergo repairs. The passengers for Victoria are as follows: Miss Hill, Miss St. Clair, C. H. Pierce, Miss M. Stewart, E. Putnam, Miss K. Putnam, C. S. Johnson, M. Rubin, Capt. Erskine, Judge Bugbee.

An Unpleasant Accident.

A somewhat severe accident happened to Mr. J. W. Bland, sexton of St. Andrew's church, last evening. He was attending to the furnaces and had opened one of the doors when a gas explosion took place, the flames burning his eyebrows and eyelashes, hair and whiskers. The accident was not to say serious but nevertheless unpleasant.

More Robbery.

Parson's Bridge, about six miles from the city, was visited on Monday night, and a valuable boat, eighteen feet long, painted white, with a blue stripe around it was stolen. Besides stealing the boat, a large amount of netting and other fishing apparatus was also taken. There is not the slightest clue to the robbers or to where they have taken their ill-gotten gains. Mr. Price is much chagrined over the loss.

Amusements To-Night.

The St. Andrew's Presbyterian church bazaar has been such a success that it will be continued this evening.

"Around the World in Eighty Days" will be repeated at the theatre this evening and to morrow evening.

The K. of P. band's social dance in Philharmonic Hall to-night is assured of large attendance. Refreshments will be served and so splendid music dancing or a *tete-a-tete* ought to be just the thing.

Drive Them Out.

It is about time the police took the genus tramp and bum in hand and notify them one and all that their presence is undesirable. A gentleman returning home last evening and entering by the park gate, started two of these fellows from an outhouse. They both managed to escape while the gentleman was staring in surprise. It only remains for these fellows to become a little bolder when perhaps they will try to take possession of a private house. This matter, in the interest of the public, should not need attention called to it again. Action must be taken at once.

Marine Gossip.

Hall & Goepel's schooner Queen Bella sailed from Halifax for this port to-day.

The ship Gleaning, from Shanghai, has been towed to Burrard Inlet by the Pilot.

The Chilian bark President Balmaseda, 1009 tons, Capt. Preve, has cleared from Vancouver with 858,000 feet of lumber from the Moodyville mill for Valparaiso.

The bark Harry Morse, 1313 tons, San Francisco, Capt. Hughes, has cleared from Vancouver for Sydney, N. S. W., with 964,000 feet of lumber, 12,000 staves and 147,240 laths from Moodyville.

Opposition Steamship Line.

Frank Barnard, a noted California coal magnate and ship owner, has decided to compete with the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. for the Puget Sound-San Francisco freight and passenger trade, and proposes to place the steamships on the route—the Wilmington, Haytien Republic and Signal—one of which is to leave San Francisco every five days. Mr. Barnard states that these three vessels will make scheduled trips north and will carry freight and passengers at less rates than those charged by the Pacific Coast Steamship company. They will all receive freight at Seattle and other ports for San Francisco and will make up any possible deficiency in cargo with coal loaded at Nanaimo.

A Chinese Elopement.

United States Marshal Hamilton has returned to Seattle from this city, whither he came to land the Chinese beauty Ah Mere, whom he arrested in Portland for being unlawfully in the United States. Ah More is a little Chinese woman of uncommon beauty, and in the markets of Portland and Tacoma is worth $1500. It seems that she eloped from her husband in this city with Wong Jim Fong, and went with him to Portland. There she was arrested, but her Portland friends were faithful and followed her to Victoria. There they paid the $50 head tax, and the woman was allowed to land. At last advices she was still in the hands of her Portland friends, who were determined to keep her from her alleged Victoria husband.

"Scenes" in the Park.

A "scene" was enacted in the park a few days ago whereby a corporation official used very disgusting language. It all arose about the ownership of an axe, and after it had been proven to the official by a workman, by certain marks on the axe-handle, that it was the latter's the other party showed fight.

Another "scene" was enacted a few days ago. A party of American visitors were looking at the zoo, and inquired where the wolf came from. The answer was a direct insult, "as everybody asks and bothers me about that wolf." These things must be remedied if the park is to become popular, but it looks like the aldermanic board's tail is wagging. If it was twisted instead they might find a remedy.

Death of Capt. Grant.

In the death of Capt. Angus Grant, New Westminster loses one of her most active and popular citizens. Capt. Grant was born at Port Hawkesbury, N. S., in 1829. At 14 he went to sea and at the age of 21 years was in command of a vessel. For several years he commanded some of the finest merchantmen of his native province and finally settled down to mercantile pursuits at Port Hawkesbury after his marriage in 1854. While engaged in business in Port Hawkesbury he carried on that branch of industry so prosperous in the maritime provinces 20 years ago, viz: shipbuilding and launched from his shipyard many fine vessels. He was a successful wrecker, and his fame in this line was so great his services were sought from one end of the north Atlantic coast to the other. He had the honor of commanding the first company of volunteers raised in Inverness county, N. S. Capt. Grant moved to British Columbia in 1882 with is family, took up his residence in New Westminster, and has lived in that city ever since. Shortly after his arrival he was given command of the snag boat Samson, the command of which he retained until his death. To the deceased says the *Columbian* belongs the credit of discovering the new channel across the Sandheads, in the improvement and deepening of which he took great pride. Deceased possessed the characteristics of the seamen of his native province, genial, open-hearted, frank, and withal courageous and enterprising. He leaves a widow and twelve children to mourn his death.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A BIG DEAL.

Rowland's Farm Bonded for a Large Sum.

A local syndicate has just bonded Matthias Rowland's fine large farm on the Burnside road for a term of three months. The farm is a highly cultivated one of five hundred acres or thereabouts, but of this all is not cleared. The figures at which it has been bonded are $500 per acre, making the total amount of the transaction a quarter of a million dollars. Another estimate is that $280,000 was the figures at which it was bonded.

BENCH AND BAR.

The Banquet Last Night to the Hon. Justice Drake.

The banquet given last evening to Mr. Justice Drake by the barristers, was a very successful affair. The best resources of the Poodle Dog were pressed into service with a most charming result in the arrangement of the tables and supply of the viands. Twenty-six legal lights sat down, Mr. Theo. Davie presiding, with Mr. Chas. Wilson in the vice-chair, the guest of the evening having the seat of honor at the right of the chairman. Although the toast list was not a long one, the after dinner speeches were good samples of the forensic talent of this city and the mainland, the cities there being well represented. Conviviality was the order of the hour, and at near midnight the party of feasters broke up in high good humor with themselves and everybody.

Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie was at his best. His speech was very humorous and kept the company in roars of laughter.

Hon. Justice Drake was also in fine form. His words were eagerly listened to as he recounted reminiscences of early life and law in British Columbia.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.

Even a Book Agent Would Have Succumbed.

On Monday evening, Mr. G.W. Biggar, the well-known picture agent, says the *Free Press*, met with a most miraculous escape from sudden death, while returning to his hotel. Mr. Biggar had called on Mr. and Mrs. Pendray Harris on Irwin street in regard to his pictures, and about 9 o'clock in the evening started to return to the city. On coming along one of the side streets he caught his foot in a piece of a root and fell heavily forward, receiving a severe blow over the region of his heart. However he managed to scramble to his feet and in a few minutes recovered from the shock. On examination he found that some sharp ragged instrument, perhaps an upright root, had pierced completely through four large photographs in frames, then through his coat, where fortunately for Biggar it struck a silver hunting case watch which he had in his vest pocket, the watch in turn striking on the buckle of his braces and inflicting quite a bruise of Biggar's ribs right over where the heart is supposed to be. A close examination showed that the root had penetrated through the pictures and the light wooden backing belonging to them, and made quite an indention in the case of the watch, rendering completely useless all the works of the time keeper. The strength of the cheek of a book fiend is proverbial, but after this experience, the heart of the picture agent will occupy first place. The loss of the four large pictures and the watch, for they are completely destroyed, falls heavily on Mr. Biggar, but he feels thankful that he still remains capable of taking orders for the finest pictures ever brought into this city.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY.

A Long Climb to the Top of St. Andrew's Church Tower.

A TIMES man took a trip the other day to the top of the tower of the new St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Douglas and Broughton streets. Though the climb is a high one, the view obtained well repays the trouble. One hundred and forty steps brings one to the top, over one hundred and forty-five feet above the street.

At this point the structure of the main building looks smaller than one would suppose, although its massive character becomes more apparent. Everything pertaining to the work on the building shows at once that Contractor Holland has fulfilled his agreement to the letter. But it was not to describe the building that the climb was taken; it was to get a vantage point from which the city and its surroundings could be seen. And what a glorious view can be had. There almost in the center of the city, at the highest accessible point an observer can sit and look around, the eye catching every street and block in Victoria.

Down almost at the feet lies the old church building, dwarfed into littleness by the great elevation. To the north is the city hall block, looking pigmy-like, while the business houses on Government street are far beneath the observer. The wharves and store houses with the steamers and ships appear almost underneath, so great is the altitude. In fact there is no portion of the city but what can be seen from this point to vantage.

But the city and its suburbs are not the only things to be seen from this lofty perch. Away to the southward the view is only limited by the towering snow clad Olympian range. Nothing breaks the view all around the horizon. From Cedar Hill to the hills of Sooke, to the Race Rocks light, across to Port Angeles, up to Point Wilson and Admiralty Head near Port Townsend, over the San Juan islands and back to Cedar Hill, is a vast unbroken cyclorama of scenery, comprising a view unequalled in its variety and beauty.

Several special points for really artistic views are to be had, one in particular being out towards Ross Bay, along the valley from St. Ann's convent. This is indeed a lovely vista, backed as it is by dark green woods and the glistening waters of the straits. Other scenes equally as beautiful are to be obtained, the eye of an artist never tiring at the endless panorams, whose lights and shades are constantly changing under the radiance of an autumn sun.

When at the summit of the tower it is seen at once that it is the highest accessible point in the city, and only one other point reared by man is higher, this is the masthead of the electric light pole on Church Hill. This alone is above the observer, and it is only by a few feet that it overtops him. As the light cannot practically be reached it is safe to say that St. Andrew's tower is the highest point in Victoria where a view of the country can be taken.

FARMER'S MARKET.

Present Prices in Victoria for Farm Produce Etc., Etc.

Dealers in the city report large receipts of farm produce during the past few weeks. Prices rule about the same as this time last year. Wheat per ton is quoted at $33; oats, $24; bran, $25; ground feed, $30; Saanich oatmeal, $3.50 per 100 lbs.; peas for feed, $23 per ton; potatoes, $20; onions, $1.50 per 100 lbs.; hay $17 per ton.

The market is fairly well stocked with fruit of all kinds. Gravenstein apples bring $1.50 to $1.75 per box of 50 lbs; choice Bartlett pears, $1.50.

Island eggs sell for 40 cents, while the imported article brings only 25 cents.

Butter is quoted by dealers at 35 cents, although the epicure knows that a good article will bring, retail, 40 cents. Tub or firkin, 27½ to 30 cents.

Hides, $5 to $8.50; sheep skins, long wool, 90 cents to $1.25.

Valvoline.

Spratt & Gray, sole agents for this celebrated cylinder and machine oil. A supply constantly kept on hand.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt.

Hereafter there will be service on Sunday evenings at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Esquimalt, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Marwood, chaplain of H. M. S. Swiftsure. The music will be furnished by a choir of young ladies and some good voices from H.M.S. Amphion. It is expected that these services will be very interesting and productive of much good. The morning service remains unchanged.

Cut by a Steer's Horn.

A laborer working on Stewart's farm near the city met with a peculiar and painful accident on Tuesday night. The man was going to a barn in the dark, and on his way walked into a band of steers which were lying down. One rose up and its horn struck the unfortunate fellow under the upper lip, tore a gash up the cheek alongside the nose and put out his eye as well as tearing out the eyebrow. The patient is at present in the Royal Hospital doing well, but the use of the injured eye is forever gone.

Population Exaggeration.

The report of the recent Y. M. C. A. convention held in Vancouver refers to Victoria as a city of 14,000 population and Vancouver as a city of 15,000 population, a double misrepresentation, because Victoria has more than 14,000 and Vancouver very much less than 15,000 people within its borders. This is to be regretted. It is quite evident that if the Young Men's Christian Association is to preserve its name for reliability, it will have to hold its convention where it will be free from the influence of the Vancouver land boomer, that is if a locality this side of the north pole can be said to be out of reach of him. We of course do not look for anything better from the Vancouver newspaper men, who are miserably lost and undone any how and who do not look for any other terminus but Vancouver, but we have reason to expect better things from those who seek a better termiual city, where there is no booming of town lots, no mud, no stumps, no scandals, no room for him who loveth and maketh a lie.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A BY-LAW

To enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to raise the sum of $650,000 for sewerage purposes.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT TO RAISE the sum of $650,000 for the purpose of constructing a general system of sewerage works for the benefit of the city of Victoria;

And whereas, for the purpose aforesaid it will be necessary to raise by way of loan upon the credit of said Corporation the sum of $650,000;

And whereas it will require the sum of $31,702.57 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned;

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1889, was $8,949,563, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the said Corporation of the city of Victoria and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from the work or from any stock, shares or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised or any part thereof is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or any part thereof;

And whereas for the paying of interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal sum of $650,000 and interest as hereinafter mentioned it will require an equal annual rate of seventy-one two hundredths of one per cent. in the dollar;

THEREFORE be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the city of Victoria as follows:—

(1.) It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the city of Victoria for the purposes aforesaid to borrow or raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned the said sum of $650,000, and cause the same to be paid to the treasurer of the said Corporation and in respect thereof for the said Mayor to issue debentures of the said Corporation to the amount of $650,000 in sums of not less than $1000 each payable at the end of 50 years from the date on which this By-Law takes effect and to bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum payable yearly on the 31st day of December in each and every year during the currency of the said debentures.

(2.) The said debentures as to principal and interest shall be payable at the office of the Bank of British North America in London, England; New York city, New York State, United States of America, or Victoria, Province of British Columbia, Canada.

(3.) It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation of the city of Victoria and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign and issue the said debentures hereby authorized to be issued and to cause the same and the interest coupons attached thereto to be signed by the Treasurer of the said Corporation and the Clerk of the said Corporation is hereby authorized and instructed to attach the seal of the said Corporation to the said debentures.

(4.) For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon an equal special rate of seventy-one two hundredths of one per cent. in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised levied and collected in each year upon all the rateable property in the said Corporation during the continuance of said debentures or any of them.

(5.) This By-Law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipal Act, 1889.

(6.) This By-Law shall take effect on the 31st day of December, A.D. 1889.

(7.) This By-Law may be cited as the "Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1889."

(8.) The said debentures shall be so expressed that in the event of the power being conferred upon the said Corporation by the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia and subject to such restrictions as by said Legislative Assembly shall be prescribed the said Corporation may hereafter in its discretion make the principal of said debt repayable by annual instalments during the currency of the period within which said debt is to be discharged, such instalments to be of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year shall be equal as nearly as may be to what is payable for principal and interest during each of the other years of such period.

(9.) And also in the like event and subject as aforesaid that the sinking fund then on hand (to be raised, levied and collected as in the foregoing clauses, and as now provided or law) may be applied in satisfaction of the principal sum of said debt and that forthwith thereafter any such payment of principal and interest shall accrue upon so much only of the principal sum as shall remain due after such payment.

(10.) And also in the like event and subject as aforesaid if on account of a sum being on hand from a previous year or a sum being on hand which has been derived from the work or from the investment of the sinking fund or on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment it is found to be unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the By-Law in order to raise the instalment of the sinking fund and interest required to be raised for any year or to raise such instalments for any future years of the then unexpired time which the debentures have to run the Council may pass a by-law reducing the rate for such year or for any such future years so that no more money may be collected than the amount required.

Passed the Municipal Council the 7th day of November, A. D. 1889.

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at

Barnes' building, Bastion square, for Yates street Ward;

The City Hall for Johnson street Ward;

The Hook and Ladder House for James Bay Ward.

On the 3rd day of December, A.D. 1889, and the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 20th, 1889. nov21

Passengers Arriving

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—W Clef, C E Bibber, A H Schubrack and wife, A A Rosenthal, W Marriott, W Wilkie, M H Robinson, G W Stevens, J M Wolf, O A Giles, J Stevens, J Chase, W H Nichols and wife, G A Hoyle, J C Gillmore, C Brown, J Brown, Mrs R J Hale, A A Green, wife and daughter, F Blair, J Campbell, James Kane and wife, C H Morford, P Pung, J Sparks, O P Miller, J Seeley, R M Starbuck, R Sage, Mrs Mussler, E Schutz, J Sackenbaum, R N Williams, Mrs Macdonald and sister, M Berry, J Brittain, W H Mackenzie, J E Brown, wife and daughter, F Freeman, J A Murrell, W Little, F Easton, L H Petrie, T B Fleming and wife, Miss Allen, T B Pullen, Mrs Bicknell, W Booth.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—B Polling, A Harvey, Mrs E J Miller, Sam Macartney, A P Rennison, Mrs Rennison, J F McMartin, C Kennedy, A G Gamble, A German, R Collister, S Leiser, L F Costa, R M English, H Cruickshanks, Mrs S Keene, A B Gray, G Conley, E V Bodwell, H Kessler, Isaac Robin, F W Grosbem, Jacob Knowhanger, H Wurtemberg, Emma Kahlus, Yda Yekhausen, Magil Johansen, A Whitley, Rev J G Anderson, Mrs J G Anderson, L F Eckstein, E A Jones, F Pickard, W A Dixon, J T Waddington, Mrs A Waddington, Dr E S C Hanington, Mrs Hanington.

Consignees.

Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—Moore & Co, P McIlmoyle & Son, S Leiser, Welch Rithet & Co, S J Pitts, Thos Earle, Matthews, R & T, H Saunders, Hudson Bay Co, J H Todd, O Bros.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—B Williams, C Russell, McDonald, S J Pitts, J Sehl, Braden & Stamford, H A Lilley, Corp of Victoria, Hudson Bay Co, T B Pearson, A Co, Gilmore & McCandless, H Saunders, Marvin & Tilton, Simon Leiser, Albion Iron Works, M R & Tye, H Mansell, J H Todd & Son, Campbell & Simpkins, I Morello, H Bornstein, F W Vincent Dom Exp Co.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. SOLD ONLY IN CANS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall street, New York. aug1

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The Finest Collection of Bulbs ever Imported Into Victoria.
Choice named
Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissi, Etc.,
Besides other bulbs never seen here before. Take a look at them before purchasing elsewhere.
Also on hand, Hyacinth Glasses, Flower Baskets in variety, Everlasting Flowers and Grasses, Etc., Etc., Etc.
Can Supply Cut Flowers at any time.
nov21-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to make application to The Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to lay out and construct a public highway from near the Four-mile House, on the Metchosin road, crossing Deadman's river to Burnside road, passing through and giving access to the property of the undersigned.

J. H. HELMCKEN,
THOS. FLEWIN.
JOHN JOSHUA RUSSELL.

Victoria, November 14th, 1889. nov21

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
Monday, Thursday and Friday,
Nov. 18, 21, and 22.
Grand and imposing production of the greatest of all Spectacular Dramas, JULES VERNE'S
AROUND THE WORLD
IN 80 DAYS.
Under the immediate Supervision of its owner (by decision of the United States Supreme Court), W. J. FLEMING (late manager of Niblo's Garden, N.Y.)
Fifty people. Two cars Special Scenery. Magnificent stage effects. Mammoth mechanical mechanisations. A superb cast. Grand ballet. Bewildering Amazonian marches.
Notwithstanding the enormous expense of this remarkable spectacle, regular prices will prevail—50 cents and $1.00. Reserved seats at Waitt's book store. nov15

A DANCE
Will be held at Philharmonic Hall on
Thursday Evening, Nov. 21st,
For the benefit of the
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS BAND.
Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies $1.00. Refreshments provided. A full orchestra will be in attendance.
Tickets to be had from Profs. Pfordner and Kaufman, F. Campbell and members of the band. nov18d

BOOTS AND SHOES.

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Boot & Shoe Emporium,
No. 132
Government St., Cor. Johnson.
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ANGUS & GORDON
Have received from the east
A CAR-LOAD
—OF THE—
FINEST CREAMERY BUTTER.
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COMPTON HOUSE,
STEVENS & JENKINS
Millinery, Dress and Mantle Establishment,
111 DOUGLAS STREET.
Sealskin Jackets made or altered. All kinds of Furs made up. Ladies' and children's Ulsters, Jackets, Jerseys, Gossamers, Underwear, Gloves, Dress Goods, Hosiery, Corsets Umbrellas, Ribbons, etc., etc. nov21-1m

NOBODY DISAPPOINTED
UP TO DATE.
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86 YATES STREET, VICTORIA.
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DRESS MAKING DEPARTMENT.
This new department is also on the second floor and is in charge of MISS DONNELLY, which has proved a great success, and those who are looking for artistic work and perfect satisfaction will do well to call on MISS DONNELLY at the
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The very latest patterns in Dress Goods came to hand this day.
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This favorite glove is just to hand: 4-Button, $1.00; 6-Button, $1.25.
Prices were never so low for Honest Goods.
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JOHN PARTRIDGE.
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15,000 FIRE BRICKS
And a large supply of Wines and Groceries.
OUR STOCK TO BE CLOSED OUT BEFORE END OF THE YEAR.
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Still Took Another Tumble.
The Bottom Knocked out.

SUGAR	12lbs for	$1 00	BACON	per lb	$ 15
OAT MEAL, Rolled	36lbs "	1 00	COFFEE, Choice Mocha and Java, per lb		40
OAT MEAL, Scotch	10lbs "	25	" My Own Blend	per lb	30
CORNMEAL	10lbs "	40	TEA, M.M	per lbs	1 50
FLOUR, Choice	per bbl.	$4 50	" My Own Blend	per lbs	2 00
SAGO and TAPIOCA	10lbs for	1 00	" Y. S.	per lb	40
RICE	20lbs "	1 00	T. & B. TOBACCO	5 plugs	1-00
BEANS	20lbs "	1 00	PEAS, BEANS, CORN, TOMATOES, 2 tins,		1 00
CURRANTS	10lbs "	1 00	OYSTERS, SALMON, LOBSTERS, Milk	3 tins	1 00
PEEL, Citron, Lemon and Orange,	per lb 30 to	40	SOAP, by the sinful		1 00
HAMS, Fidelity	per lb	18			

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Send in your orders early if you wish to have the goods delivered the same day.
Thanking you for past favors, I remain respectfully yours,
WM. ECKERT,
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VICTORIA, B.C. oct12-1m

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Will not Rub Off, Soil the Clothing, nor Injure the Leather.
It produces without brushing a beautiful Waterproof Polish. To be had only at the
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JNO. FULLERTON.
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LAND AND LABOR
Let there be no tax on their Union.
WORKER AND WEARER,
Let no middlemen stand between them.
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BLANKETS, all grades and sizes; COMFORTERS, large assortment;
EIDER DOWN QUILTS; CURTAINS, Chenille, Turcoman, etc.;
CARPETS, latest productions; TABLE COVERS, tapestry, spun silk, etc;
PLUSHES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS.
CROCKERY, new lines of printed ware; GLASSWARE, Table and Decorative;
LAMPS, Piano, Library, Table, etc.; WALLPAPER AND DECORATIONS;
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LARGEST SHOWROOMS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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WHOLESALE
DRY GOODS,
VICTORIA.
Sole Agents for Westminster Woollen Mills.
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SPENCERS' .·. ARCADE.
NEW MILLINERY BY EXPRESS FROM PARIS
Will be shown To-morrow. Also a new line of Untrimmed Felts, and a good assortment of Wings and Birds. These are the
LATEST FRENCH GOODS 15 DAYS FROM EUROPE.
D. SPENCER
Government Street.

Naval.

Admiral Algernon C. F. Heneage will entertain at dinner on the flagship tomorrow night a select circle of friends.

A late issue of the *Naval Gazette* says the Nymphe, sloop, for instance, built and launched in the early part of last year, and which was declared ready for commission in November, exactly eleven months ago, has now at length sailed for her station in the Pacific.

Our old friend the Triumph has been heard from. The old favorite has been under repairs lately, after which she went out for a two hours' steaming trial at full power and everything worked well except the steam steering gear. On the same day that the old battleship had this trial, the new gunboat Magpie had a three hours' full power trial, and it is worthy of remark that the old ship and the new averaged the same speed per hour within less than half a knot: The speed of the Triumph was 12.5, and the Magpie 12.7.